

BHST-101

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Odd Semester Examination 2018-19

B.TECH. (CSE) (SEMESTER-I)

ENGLISH

Time: 03:00 Hours

Max Marks : 100

Note: Student needs to attempt all questions as per instructions given below. Each question carries equal marks.

1. Attempt **any four** questions :

[5×4=20]

(a) Write the synonyms of the following words:

(i) Damage

(ii) Achieve

(iii) Hate

(iv) Cordial

(v) Loyal

(b) Write the antonyms of the following words:

(i) Accept

(ii) Gain

(iii) External

(iv) Natural

(v) Oral

(c) Write the full form of the followings abbreviations:

(i) PMO

(ii) PA

(iii) RBI

(iv) P.T.O

(v) NRI

(d) Make new words by adding the suitable prefix:

(i) Natural

(ii) Practical

(iii) Appoint

(iv) Appear

(v) Necessary

(e) Make new words by adding the suitable suffix:

(i) Joy

(ii) Care

(iii) Heart

(iv) Kind

(v) Move

2. Attempt **any four** questions.

[5×4=20]

(a) Fill in the blanks with suitable articles:

(i) Our boss is __ European.

(ii) He is the registrar of __ University.

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- (iii) In the north of our country are __ Himalayas.
- (iv) He is __ honest person.
- (v) Man is __ bundle of weaknesses.
- (b) Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions:
- (i) Always be obedient __ your parents. (to, with)
- (ii) She felt offended __ his remarks. (by, of)
- (iii) The teacher has a very high opinion __ her. (of, with)
- (iv) Peter is married __ Sam's younger sister. (to, with)
- (v) I am in need __ honest advice. (of, to)
- (c) Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb:
- (i) The quality of pens __ good. (is, are)
- (ii) The wages of sin __ death. (is, are)
- (iii) The jury __ divided in there opinions. (is, were)
- (iv) Every boy and girl __ given a chocolate. (was, were)
- (v) Manish as well as you __ at fault (is, are)
- (d) Correct any dangling modifiers in the sentences given below and rewrite the sentences.
- (i) Leaving quickly, my cars lights were left on.
- (ii) While exercising at the gym, my shirt tore.
- (iii) While visiting the reptile house, the crocodile frightened my friends.
- (iv) When just two years old, my mother showed me how to dance.
- (v) Walking to the movies, the cloud burst drenched Jim.

(e) Write the root word of the following words:

(i) Maxima

(ii) Minimize

(iii) Metamorphosis

(iv) Toxic

(v) Polygamy

3. Answer **any two** questions: [10×2=20]

(a) Write a detail note on oral communication and explain its importance in the professional life of an individual.

(b) What do you understand by writing skills? Explain in detail the different techniques used for writing precisely.

(c) Explain in detail the nature and style of sensible writing. What are the things that are to be kept in mind while writing introduction and conclusion?

4. Answer **any two** questions: [10×2=20]

(a) What do you understand by listening comprehension? Write a note on the importance of listening skills.

(b) What is intonation stress and rhythm? Explain in detail.

(c) What do you understand by punctuation? Discuss the importance of proper punctuation in developing basic writing skills.

5. Attempt **any two** questions: [10×2=20]

(a) Write an essay of two hundred words on "70 years of independent India".

(b) What is a précis? Why is it very important for effective communication?

(c) Write a paragraph of 150 words on "Demonetization".

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